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Application No. 09/692,716
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Sandrine DECOSTER et al.

Application No.: 09/692,716

Filed: October 20, 2000

For: COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS
COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE
SILICONE COPOLYMER IN
AQUEOUS EMULSION AND AT
LEAST ONE THICKENER, AND
USES THEREOF

Group Art Unit: 1619

Examiner: G. Yu

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In reply to the Office Action dated October 23, 2001, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in light of the following amendment and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 34 as follows:

34. A composition according to claim 17, wherein said at least one non-cellulose thickener is present in an amount ranging from 0.001% to 20% by weight relative to the total weight of the composition.

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